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# The Producer

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*Hamilton*, the hip-hop musical phenomenon — co-produced by Jill Furman '97BUS — made Broadway history in May when it was nominated for a record-breaking sixteen Tony Awards.

Furman has been a supporter of *Hamilton* creator Lin-Manuel Miranda since 2003, when she saw him perform an early work in the basement of a Midtown bookstore. She went on to co-produce Miranda's first musical, *In the Heights*, which debuted on Broadway in 2008 and won the Tony for best musical that year.

Even before the nominations, *Hamilton* was already a producer's dream — tickets are sold out through 2017.



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